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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Attached please find Form PTO-1449 together with the references as stated in the specification.

- DE 195 20 521 as discussed on Page 2 of the specification. No translation is available at this time, however, attached is an English language abstract.
- DE 196 47 031 as discussed on Page 3 of the specification. No translation is available
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- DE 198 16 454 as discussed on Page 3 of the specification. No translation is available at this time, however, attached is an English language abstract.
- DE 199 34 263 as discussed on Page 3 of the specification. No translation is available at this time, however, attached is an English language abstract.
  - DE 28 30 075. This reference has been cited in the German Examination Procedure.

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- JP 06074294 discloses an active dynamic vibration absorber. The reference has been

cited in the German Examination Procedure. No translation is available at this time, however,

attached is an English language abstract.

The following references have been cited in the International Phase of the above-

identified application. A copy of the International Search Report is enclosed.

- US 2003/0155827.

- J. Wang et al.: "Design and Experimental Characterization of a Linear Reciprocating

Generator", XP002327414. This reference has been cited under Category A as being relevant

to International claims 1 - 3, 6 and 8.

- U.S. 4,709,176.

Consideration of the above references is requested.

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Enclosed: PTO/SB/08a Form

copy of International Search Report

copies of (7) References and (6) English Abstracts

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